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HONGKONG, MONDAY, 5TH APRIL, 1869.

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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

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Notices to Consignees.

CONSIGNEES of the following packages per British ship *Falcon* are informed that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

H.
A. E. (in Cross) 40 bales Merchandise.
B (in diamond) 45 casks
B 28 cases
WB (under diamond) 14 bales
WB 4 cases
G F M & Co. 4 cases
Do. 4 cases
J K & Co. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, April 2, 1869. ap18

NOTICE.
CONSIGNEES of the following Packages per Brit. barque *Meteor*, from Sydney, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

K 5 pkgs. Marlin, shipped by Alder-N.
B. 3 cases Sponges & Sons
E. 48 cases Preserved Meats, shipped by R. Peet & Co.
A. E. 7 cases Copper, shipped by Chen
65 cases Fish, Steak.
HUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date, the style of our firm will be WAHEE & CO., CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, EAST POINT, Hongkong, March 17, 1869. ap17

THE Firm of Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., of Hongkong, is instructed to ascertain the whereabouts of DON RAFAEL YEGORAS, 18 years of age, native of Guatemala, in Central America, to import him a master in which he is concerned. He is therefore requested to apply to the above.

Hongkong, February 5, 1869. 5-4-m.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT, C. LANGDON DAVIES, Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr. TOBIAS PIM, Mr. WILLIAM NISER OMBSTER and Mr. H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OYMPHANT & Co. Hongkong, October 8, 1868.

NOTICE.
FROM this date Mr. GEORGE E. LANE will act as agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this port.

GEO. E. BOWMAN, Hongkong, March 18, 1869.

NOTICE.
M R. ROBERT S. WALKER has this day been appointed Secretary to the Company, and Mr. JOHN INGLIS, the present Acting Secretary, resumes his functions as Managing Engineer for the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN INGLIS,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, March 3, 1869.

NOTICE.
M R. D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, and Mr. J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr. E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date.

RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869. July 2

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUDE BUNDE to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr. GEORGE E. Potts, to whom all communications should be addressed.

LEE A FONG, Lessee, Hongkong Hotel, March 8, 1869.

THE Undersigned hereby intimated that he has this day received the appointment of Surveyor to FRENCH LLOYDS under date of December 22nd, 1868.

ROBT. McMURDO. Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

FOR Sale.

For "Mail Steamer" and late Arrivals. MISS ROSE.

HAS received a choice assortment of French GLACÉES, black and colored, BARGELLE and FANCY DRESSES, black and colored piece VELVETS and SATINS in the newest shades.

Ladies' and Fancy RIBBONS, VELVETS, SASH RIBBONS, and DRESS TRIMMINGS in great variety, Real OLUNIE and VALENCOENNES LACES. Ladies' and Children's trimmed and untrimmed HATS in all the fashionable shapes.

Ladies' BONNETS latest styles, Plain and Fancy SUNSHADES, French FANS, &c.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's French Kid GLOVES and BOOTS.

A large assortment of French and English HOSIERY, Gentlemen's Black and Dark Shell HATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIEs, &c., &c.

Henrie's PERFUMERY.

WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel, Hongkong, February 13, 1869.

For Sale.

NOTICE.
SELLING OFF AT COST PRICE.
FOR ONE MONTH ONLY.

ON and after the 17th proximo, the Store of the Undersigned will positively be closed, but in the meantime they offer at COST PRICE

The whole of their immense Stock as follows:—

SHIP CHANDLERY.

Russian Rope, Hawsing, Marline, Ratline, Seizing Staff, and Hammarline, Mast Hoops, Jib-Hanks, Emery and Sand Paper, Hemp and Cotton Cauras, Padding, Drapery, Blocks, Brushes of all kinds, Tar, Varnish, Leather and Canvas Hose.

OILMAN'S STORES.

Pickles, Mustard, Sago, Arrowroot, Tapas, Pearl Barley, Raisins, Capers, Chutney, Curry-Powder, Sauces, and Ketchups, Cream, Tartar, Soda, Saleratus, Coffee, Sugar, Milk, Flavoring Extracts, Essence of Jamais, Ginger, Bologna Sausages, Game Pies, Hominy, Preserved Meats, Soups, Fruits, and Vegetables.

CARPENTER'S AND ENGINEER'S TOOLS & STORES.

Augers, Chisels, Gouges, Files, Screws, Iron and Brass) Hammers, Hatchets, Axes, Adzes, Saws, Planes, Hinges, Try-squares, Compasses, Screw, Drivets, Brads and Bits, Hemp, Rubber and Tuck's Packing, Anvils, Emery Powder, Tube Brushes, Belting, Taps and Dies, Water and Gauge Cores, Boiler Plates.

IRONMONGERY.

Ship and House Cooking Stores, Parlor Grates, Saucepans, Handcuffs, Locks of all kinds, Shovels, Spades.

FAIRBANK'S PLATFORM SCALES.

Plated, Glass and Crockery WARES, Sherry and Port WINES.

BRANDY and WHISKY in bottles and casks.

GIN, RUM, LIQUEURS and RHINE WINES.

ALE & PORTER.

And, sundry other GOODS.

CHARTS at \$0.50 each.

THOS. HUNT & Co.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,

FOR THE RACES.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED BY MAIL STEAMER.

Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashion.

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSLIN, and GRENADEINE, for Evening Wear.

A fine assortment of new FLOWERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.

A large assortment of new TRIMMINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS.

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

(BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT,

20, Foochow Road, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 20th day of April, 1869, at Noon, on the Premises,

Under the Power of Sale, contained in the Deed of Mortgage,

Marine Lot No. 32 B, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate between Jervis Street and Bonham Strand.

Marine Lot No. 212, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate between the Praya and Bonham Strand.

Marine Lot No. 152, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate in Bonham Strand.

For further particulars apply to the Undersigned.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by the Purchaser.

Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 5, 1869. ap20

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW & SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S.

"GANES," will leave for the above places, at 11 A.M., on THURSDAY, the 18th inst.

W. MAGAULAY, Superintendent.

Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, Owners of

the *Steamer West Indian*

will be responsible for any DEBT or

DEBTS contracted by her Crew during

her stay in this port.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 5, 1869. ap12

New Advertisements.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

SEAT-HOLDERS intending to RESIGN their Seats, and Persons REQUIREING Seats are requested to communicate with the Undersigned as soon as possible.

F. W. MITCHELL, Treasurer and Trustee, Hongkong, April 5, 1869. ap8

BILLIARDS, BOWLS, AND BAR.

NOTICE.

THE ORIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS, and BOWLING ALLEY, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior style unequalled by any in the Colony, the Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, Good Liquors and the well-known reputation of this old-established House, to merit a share of their patronage. There are three first class Billiard Tables in a large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment.

BROWN & Co., Proprietors.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

MESSRS. KOSS & Co.

BEG to inform the public of Hongkong that they had established themselves as Tailors and GENERAL OUTFITTERS on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs. LADGE, OGIER & Co.

Having secured the services of an experienced European Cutter, and also having received late arrival a very superior stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pattern, they are prepared to meet all the requirements of the present season.

A large stock of Ready-made CLOTHING, of the latest fashions, always on hand.

KOSS & Co., Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

MEMO. OF CHARTERS AND SETTLEMENTS.

Since 20th March, 1869.

FERNAND BRUM, N. G. barque, 350 tons, Hence to Surinam at \$11 per head.

EDERA, Brit. ship, 875 tons, Zebu to London or Liverpool at \$13.10 per ton Sugar, 4¢ per ton Hemp; if to Liverpool, £21.70 per ton.

STILLINGSBURG, Brit. barque, 549 tons, Zebu to London or Liverpool, private terms.

CHELSEA, Brit. ship, 904 tons, Hence to Melbourne and Sydney, £2,650 in full.

SALOLA, Brit. barque, 424 tons, Hence to Melbourne, private terms.

ATREVIDA, Brit. barque, 457 tons, Hence to Sydney, £1,450 in full; if to Liverpool, £2,170 per ton.

FALCON, Brit. ship, 733 tons, on the berth for Saigon.

SIL LANCOLY, Brit. ship, 866 tons, Saigon to Yokohama, private terms.

LATONA, Brit. barque, 286 tons, Saigon to Yokohama at \$73 cents per ton.

JULIA ANN, Brit. barque, 450 tons, Saigon to Yokohama at \$73 cents per ton.

KEDAB, Brit. barque, 532 tons, Hence to Yokohama at \$4,000 in full.

CREPS, N. G. barque, 410 tons, Hence to Yokohama at 36 cents per ton.

URANUS, N. G. barque, 265 tons, Hence to Yokohama at 40 cents per ton.

VIRENT, Russ. schooner, 83 tons, On the berth for Nagasaki.

MAGDALENA, N. G. barque, 480 tons, Bangkok and back at 35 cents per picul inside.

GIBSON, Brit. barque, 260 tons, Kampot and back, \$2,350 in full.

JOHANA SMITH, N. G. barque, 400 tons, Hence to Saigon and back at 30 cents per picul.

ELENA RUCKERS, N. G. barque, 306 tons, Hence to Saigon and back at 32 cents per picul.

HELEN, N. G. barque, 306 tons, Saigon and back at 30 cents per picul.

PILOT, Brit. barque, 875 tons, Hence to Saigon and back at 30 cents per picul.

For Sale.

GREAT REDUCTION
in *Closing of Business*.
The Undersigned, who is closing his business in May next, begs most respectfully to offer to the public his large selection of Photographs, at the following low rates; an opportunity that should not be lost; patrons wishing to have copies from their negatives can have them at greatly reduced rates.
Views in set of 50 each \$20.
Views in set of 25 each \$12.50
W. P. FLOYD,
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

FOR SALE.

PALM ALE, \$13 per barrel.
Ginger BRANDY, (Swaine Board & Co.) \$6 per doz.

"OLD TOM" (Swaine Board & Co.) \$5 per doz.

PALM DRY SHERRY, \$8 per doz.
PORT, \$9 per doz.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,
Wine & Spirit Merchant,
"STAG HOTEL" Stores,

Hongkong, March 10, 1869.

FOR SALE.

YELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz
and Vivian.

JOHN BURD & Co.

Hongkong, April 5, 1869.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED

ENGLISH and Anglo German CONCERTINAS, HARMONIUMS, VIOLINS and VIOLIN STRINGS, FLUTES, New MUSIC, &c., &c.

Pianoforte tuned and repaired.

O. WAGNER,
Hollywood Road,

Hongkong, March 1, 1869.

NOTICE.

M. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 Views of HONGKONG, price \$25.
10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12
26 do. do. 10 by 8
4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the DRAGON PROCESSION.

Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

FOR SALE.

RAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins.
Apply to

HOWARD HODGES,

Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

PAYNE AND COMPANY,

BELATEE, BUNGALOW,

Calcutta.

ESTABLISHED HALF A CENTURY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT,

FOR THE SALE OF THEIR REKNOWNED

Chutneys and Indian Condiments.

Named,

Bengal Club Chutney

Lucknow Chutney

Cashmere Chutney

Pindaree Chutney

Col. Skinner's Chutney

Major Gray's Chutney

Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, 20s

Mulligatawny Paste Per lbd. £25.

Curry Paste Perdoz. qts. 30s

Curry Powder Perdoz. pts. 20s

Tamarind Fish, 100 in barrel, 20s

Tamarind Fish Rose, 1 gal. square, 7s

Smoked Mango Fish, 100 in tins, 11s

Chili Vinegar Per bottle, 2s

Cayenne Pepper Per bottle, 2s

JAMS AND JELLIES.

Guava Jelly 2 lb. tins 1 lb. tins.

Tipparee Jam

Preserved Limes

Preserved Mangoes

Fine Apple Jelly

Preserves

Pickled Limes

Bael Preserve

Bengal Humps

16d per lb.

N. B.—Chutney, Curry Powders, and

Pastes shipped in bulk, to any quarter of

the Globe.

Payne and Co.

Have always on hand a large Stock of

superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes.

Terms Remittance, or reference in Calcutta, to accompany order.

For orders over \$25, 20 per cent discount

will be allowed, all Goods free on board in Calcutta.

FOR SALE.

AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.

THE following SETS of the "CHINA PUNCH" can be obtained, stashed in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz.—

No. Price.

1 set deficient 5. per set \$5.75.

21 " 4. 5. " 5.50.

2 " 4. 5. " 5.25.

5. " complete from 10. " 3.75.

11 " 11. " 3.00.

4 " 15. " 2.50.

4 " 16. " 2.25.

Also a few separate copies of Nos. 1, 2,

3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24.

C. A. SAINT.

MANILA HARD WOOD.

Consisting of:

MOLAVES,

BANABAS,

ARANGAS,

And other descriptions.

Apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

FOR SALE.

THE New Superior Manila CIGAR in cases of 200 each.

bielefeld and zachariae.

Hongkong, November 9, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED.

Ex "Great Republic."

A. NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO.

Ex "Mail Steamer."

A. MOUTHPIECES.

Cherrywood STEMS.

CIGAR HOLDERS.

Ex "Solier."

Superior Cavite CIGARS.

bielefeld and zachariae.

Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and

NAILS.

Also,

Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel

PLATES, 12lb. and 13lb. with NAILS.

Apply to

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, June 14, 1868.

For Sale.

PER MAIL STEAMER.
GRUYERE CHEESE, of first quality
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

PRR ZIBA.
50 cases Perrier CHAMPAGNE.
50 cases "Plagnac" SALAD OIL.
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

bielefeld and zachariae.
The New Style of—
PIPE now in use by

ALL men of fashion, and as only a few have come into their

HANDS

early orders for the same are solicited.

Also,

A well selected stock of Smokers' Articles, such as Carved Cigarholders; Briar-root Pipes; Havana Cigars (choice brands); No. 2 and 3 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of the finest quality, in boxes of 200 and 600 each; Smoking Tobacco; Tobacco; Pouches, Flints, &c., &c.

Also a fresh supply of Russian Cigarettes.

HONGKONG,

Queen's Road, 88 & 90.

SHANGHAI,
Canton Road, 6.

Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

FOR SALE.

THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messrs KENNEDY & CO.

For further particulars, apply to

SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

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STEAM FOR

Singapore, Penang, Pointe de Galle,
Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles,
and Southampton;

ALSO,

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, King
George's Sound, Melbourne,
and Sydney.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
"RANGOON," Capt. E. J. BAKER, with
Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and
Cargo, will leave this for the above places,
on TUESDAY, 6th April, at 9 A.M.

PARCELS AND CARGO will be received on
board until Noon, and SPECIE until
4 P.M. on the 5th April.

For particulars regarding Freight and
Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES
ARE REQUIRED.

A written declaration of the Contents and
Value of the Packages for the Overland Route
is required by the Egyptian Government, and
must be delivered by the Shippers to the Com-
pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or
with Parcels; and the Company do not hold
themselves responsible for any detention or
prejudice which may happen from incor-
rectness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note
the terms and conditions of the Company's
Black Bill of Lading.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent,
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, March 27, 1869.

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NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-
RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES
IMPÉRIALES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,
ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,
MARSEILLES.

Also,
BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,
AND CALCUTTA.

THE Compy. S. Steamer "HOOGLY,"
Commandant D'Bois, will leave
this Port for the above places, with
MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and
CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 22d Instant,
at Noon.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and
accepted in transit through Marseilles for
the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4
P.M. of the 21st Instant, Specie, and
Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 21st Instant.
(Parcels are not to be sent on board; they
must be left at the Agency's Office.)

For Particulars regarding Freight and
Passage, apply at the Company's office,
Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE
OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent,
Hongkong, April 3, 1869.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.
STEAMERS of this line will be despatched
as follows:—

China April 19.
Great Republic May 19.
Japan June 19.
China July 19.
Great Republic August 19.

A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or
about same date, connecting at Yokohama
with above-named steamer.

Passenger tickets to California, Mexico,
Central and South America, the Atlantic
States, and to England or France, both
via New York and by lines from Panama
and Ampanwall.

Return tickets issued at a reduction of
10% upon the whole amount for the round
voyage.

Connections are made at Panama with
Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central
and South America, at Ampanwall with
the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West
India, and Pacific Steam-ship Company,"
(Limited) and the "French Transatlantic
Company." And, at New York, with the
various lines to Europe. Tickets issued
for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cu-
nard, Inman, General Trans-
atlantic Co., New York, and Havre Steam-
ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet
Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship
Co., New York and North German Lloyd's.

Favorable arrangements have been made
for through passengers and freight to Amer-
ica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore,
and from Syrtos, Amoy and Foochow.

Through Bills of Lading given for Ports
of Mexico and on the West Coast of Con-
trol and South America as far as Valpa-
sito to New York, Liverpool, Southampton
and St. Nazaire, France.

Freight in United States payable in ad-
vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery
of American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad-
ditional at shipper's option.

For further information, apply at the
Agency of the Company, Fraya West.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.
Hongkong, February 16, 1869.

Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "RANGOON."

The Contract Packet "RANGOON" will
be dispatched with the usual Mails for
Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the
6th April, at 9 A.M., and the Post
Office will be open for the reception of
Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration,
Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8
P.M. on the 5th April. Letters
&c., may be posted in the night box
from 8 P.M. on the 5th April until
7 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M.
on the 6th April, will be chargeable
in addition to the usual postage, with
a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this
Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers,
Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 6th April.

Further, late letters (but Letters only)
addressed to the United Kingdom via
Marseilles or to Singapore, may be
posted on board the Packet from 8.30
to 8.60 A.M. on payment of a late fee
of 48 cents each, in addition to the
postage, after which no Letters can be
received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence
of Box Holders will be received at the
window set apart for the purpose, on
the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which
payment is compulsory must be prepaid
in Hongkong Postage Stamp.

Inadequately stamped Letters addressed to
the United Kingdom will be sent on,
charged with a fine of One Shilling in
addition to the postage.

Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 6th
April will not be forwarded unless
the Late Fee as well as the postage is
prepaid.

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped
addressed to places to which they can-
not be forwarded unpaid, will be opened
and returned to the writers as early as
possible, but no guarantee can be
given that such Letters, if posted after
8 P.M. on the 5th April will be re-
turned until after the mail is closed.

If an Order be not paid before the
end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after
that in which it was drawn,—for instance,
if drawn in January and not paid before
the end of the following January—all claim
to the Money will be forfeited, unless
under peculiar circumstances, the Post
Office of the Country in which the Order
was drawn think proper to allow it.

After once paying a Money Order
by whomsoever presented, the paying Office
will not be liable to any further claim. If
a wrong payment, however, be made owing
to negligence on the part of any Officer of
the Post Office, the Postmaster General of
the Country or Colony in which the negli-
gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the
Officer in fault to make good the loss.

No Money Order will be paid unless
the advice has been previously received.

Additional Rules for greater security
against fraud, and for the better work-
ing of the system generally will be made
as occasion may require.

Should it appear that Money Orders
are used by mercantile men, or others,
either in the United Kingdom or at Hong-
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SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

HONG KONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

C. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.C., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—X., on Kowloong side.

Vessel's Name and Where first Anchored	Captain	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival	Consignee or Agents	Destination	Intended Despatch.
STEAMERS							
Douglas	W. Toppin	Brit. str.	615	April 1	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Swallow, &c.	To-day
King	W. Pinel	Brit. str.	1044	April 2	A. Heard & Co.	Shanghai	
Normandie	W. Hookin	Brit. str.	700	April 3	P. & O. S. N. Co.	East Coast	
Empereur	W. Gates	Brit. str.	1200	March 17	P. & O. S. N. Co.	East Coast	
Glenroyal	E. Hooper	Brit. str.	1235	April 1	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Hood	W. De Bovis	Foh. str.	1707	April 2	Messageries Imperiales		
Labourdonnais	W. Ropatet	Foh. str.	910	April 3	Messageries Imperiales		
Lightning	W. C. Rodgers	Brit. str.	673	April 3	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Rangoon	W. Baker	Brit. str.	1776	March 29	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	6th, 9 a.m.
Sunda	W. Soames	Brit. str.	1612	April 1	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	
Titanic	W. Hamlin	Brit. str.	805	January 21	A. Heard & Co.		
Venus	W. Cumming	Brit. str.	677	August 30	A. Heard & Co.		
Wessex	W. Miller	Brit. str.	1804	April 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Yung-hai-an	W. Morison	Russ. str.	445	October 19	Laudstein & Co.		
SAILING VESSELS							
Albatross	W. Louis	N. Ger. br.	412	March 18	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
America	K. Peck	Salv. sh.	1450	January 16	Captain		
Aurora	W. Gyllenpalm	Russ. brk.	200	March 15	John Burd & Co.		
Atalanta	W. Berri	Span. br.	270	Feb. 19	Order		
Attala	E. Suhr	N. Ger. br.	183	January 21	Carlowitz & Co.		
Attawilda	E. Bassett	Brit. br.	457	March 28	Order		
A. W. Stevens	E. Innesham	Amer. br.	426	April 3	A. Heard & Co.		
Bezael	W. Chillew	Brit. sch.	204	Feb. 20	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Calico	E. Lavarao	Salv. sh.	1440	Nov. 17	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Camilla Cavour	K. Astorius	Salv. sh.	820	March 18	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Cape-moon	E. Watterson	Brit. br.	468	March 21	E. Burrows & Sons		
Carlotta	W. Sachau	N. Ger. br.	240	March 30	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
Ceres	W. Schwart	N. Ger. br.	410	March 16	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Chelsea	W. Lowe	Brit. ab.	404	March 18	Rozario & Co.		
Chion-Site	W. Weezer	Span. sh.	462	March 20	Chinese		
Clipper	W. Hoffhauer	N. Ger. sch.	223	March 11	Melchers & Co.		
Coriolanus	W. Schmidt	Dut. br.	390	March 23	Siemens & Co.		
Concordia	W. Abano	Span. br.	181	January 30	Remedios & Co.		
Dom Pedro II.	W. Young	Brit. br.	241	March 1	F. K. Banjee		
Egeria	K. Burri	Brit. br.	875	March 21	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Gilda	W. Windsor	Brit. ab.	631	Dec. 20	Olyphant & Co.		
Hildegard	W. Rohr	N. Ger. br.	306	March 10	Melchers & Co.		
F. A. Palmer	W. McCallum	Brit. br.	1208	January 23	A. Heard & Co.		
Facon	E. Dunn	Brit. br.	793	March 21	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Ferdinand-Bonnier	W. Voss	N. Ger. br.	350	March 23	E. Schellihaus & Co.		
Eray Bentos	W. Mata	Salv. br.	471	April 2	Remedios & Co.		
Freyenstein	E. Quedens	N. Ger. br.	497	March 26	Stemmers & Co.		
Gentil	W. Niclais	Belg. ab.	803	January 6	Borneo Company		
Gipsybird	W. Siemssen	Brit. br.	250	March 20	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
Gravina	W. Bavelo	Brit. br.	249	March 11	Remedios & Co.		
Hesperi	E. Bailey	Amer. ab.	1205	Feb. 9	Russell & Co.		
Ile et Vilaine	W. Bourignon	Foh. br.	360	March 28	Carlowitz & Co.		
Ingeburg	W. Fries	N. Ger. br.	373	April 1	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Johnann Smith	W. Haymann	N. Ger. br.	400	March 18	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
John D. Dimmock	W. Wanchell	Brit. br.	1047	March 23	Order		
Julia Andrina	W. Baker	Brit. br.	456	March 21	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Kedara	K. Cowie	Brit. br.	582	March 16	Carlowitz & Co.		
Ketona	E. Williams	Brit. br.	286	March 30	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Lena	W. Collinson	Brit. br.	293	October 10	Order		
Lindholm	W. Holthaus	Ital. br.	255	Feb. 10	Carlowitz & Co.		
Luana	W. More	Salv. br.	1105	March 26	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Lynden	E. Sorsen	Brit. br.	223	March 23	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Maria	W. Correlli	Russ. br.	637	Feb. 10	10. Landstein & Co.		
Maurice	K. Dahl	Brit. br.	460	March 10	11. Remedios & Co.		
Metoro	W. Verney	N. Ger. sch.	180	March 21	21. Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Mongal	K. Courbie	Foh. br.	1006	March 29	21. Russell & Co.		
National Eagle	E. Nickerson	Amer. ab.	1095	Feb. 21	1. A. Heard & Co.		
Navarino	E. Paddon	Brit. br.	403	Feb. 21	21. Landstein & Co.		
Niederland	W. Brun	Dut. br.	670	March 27	21. Siemens & Co.		
Neve Constante	W. Fabre	Span. br.	203	Dec. 16	16. Remedios & Co.		
Oceanus	E. Nurynes	Foh. br.	528	Nov. 5	5. Thomas Howard		
Old Dominion	E. Freeman	Amer. ab.	603	March 11	11. A. Heard & Co.		
Osward	E. Whyte	Amer. ab.	606	April 1	2. Captain		
Prudentia	K. Yeranway	Salv. br.	664	April 3	3. Remedios & Co.		
Rodriga	W. Perello	Span. br.	177	March 21	8. Wahe & Co.		
Ruby	W. Misquita	Port. br.	532	Feb. 10	10. Remedios & Co.		
Sahilia	W. Stuart	Brit. br.	424	March 23	27. Rozario & Co.		
Santa Anna	W. Cavito	Span. br.	462	Feb. 10	10. Remedios & Co.		
Saraf Maria	W. Gode	N. Ger. br.	356	March 30	30. Russell & Co.		
Sir Lancelot	W. Robinson	Brit. br.	885	March 23	23. Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Vikenty	K. Perkins	Russ. sch.	83	March 26	26. Russell & Co.		
Villa de Granada	W. Carrigue	Foh. br.	269	March 21	21. Landstein & Co.		
Wemyss Castle	W. Nicoll	Brit. ab.	699	April 1	1. Birley & Co.		
Windward	K. Barrett	Anon. ab.	692	Feb. 1	2. Russell & Co.		
WEAMPOA.							

VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignee.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS.			
AMOY	Meteor	Brit. br.	Russell & Co.
Do.	Benzal	Brit. sch.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.
NINGPO	Batavia*	Russ. str.	Wm. Pustau & Co.
SHANGHAI	Shafesbury†	Russ. str.	Laudstein & Co.
CHEFOO	Geo. Becker‡	N. Ger. br.	Siemssen & Co.
Do.	Swiss*	N. Ger. br.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
TIENTSIN	Atlantic	N. Ger. br.	Carlowitz & Co.
Do.	Clipper	N. Ger. br.	Melchers & Co.
Do.	Arthur*	N. Ger. sch.	Amer. Consul.
Do.	Juno*	N. Ger. br.	Russell & Co.
Mary	Amber	N. Ger. br.	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.
Do.	L. Brann	N. Ger. br.	Wm. Pustau & Co.
Do.	Martha	N. Ger. br.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
NAGASAKI	Vikonty	N. Ger. br.	Russell & Co.
YOKOHAMA	D. Pedro II	N. Ger. br.	F. K. Banjee
Do.	Kodar	N. Ger. br.	Carlowitz & Co.
Ceres	Ceres	N. Ger. br.	Wm. Pustau & Co.
OTHER PORTS.			
LONDON	Anur	Russ. br.	John Burd & Co.
SAN FRANCISCO	Helvetia	Amer. str.	Amer. Consul.
Do.	National Eagle	Amer. str.	Heard & Co.
Do.	Windward	Amer. str.	Russell & Co.
Do.	F. A. Palmer	Brit. str.	A. Heard & Co.
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Old Dominion	Amer. str.	Rozario & Co.
Chileas	Chileas	Brit. str.	Order
Salacia	Salacia	Brit. str.	John Burd & Co.
SINGAPORE	Sir Lancelot	N. Ger. br.	Jardine, Matheson & Co.
SAIGON	John Smith	N. Ger. br.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
Do.	E. Rickmers	N. Ger. br.	Melchers & Co.
Do.	Campsingwood	N. Ger. br.	E. Burrows & Sons
Do.	Fry		